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## Postmasters And Patronage

A recent bill introduced by O. L. Boulanger, Liberal Member for Bellechasse, Que., for the purpose of removing the outside Civil Service, including most Dominion employees outside of Ottawa from the jurisdiction of the Civil Service Commission, was viewed with dismay by all Civil Servants but particularly by the country, village and small-town Postmasters. Under previous Governments this class of employee suffered severely, particularly in Quebec and the Maritime Provinces and even in a certain extent in the other Provinces also. Mr. Veniot, Postmaster General in the previous King Government set a very bad example and was followed by Mr. Sauve, Postmaster General in the Bennett Government who although he promised to abolish the spoils or patronage system, found the pressure from those who wanted jobs too great for him and during his term of office he equalled, if not exceeded, previous record set by Mr. Veniot.

Under these circumstances it was only natural that a change in Government again caused much perturbation amongst the Post Offices in Eastern Canada particularly and the Dominion Secretary of the Canadian Postmasters' Association, Mr. Charles D. Griffiths, accompanied by Col E. J. White, Postmaster of Bathurst, N.B. interviewed the Hon. J. L. Elliott very shortly after his appointment to the Cabinet. They were pleasantly surprised to find a new type of man holding the office of Postmaster General who had already refused to dismiss small country Postmasters wholesale without any charges being laid against them, or without the accused being given an opportunity of defending themselves against any political charges which might have been made by those desirous of obtaining their positions.

Since that time Mr. Elliott has gallantly carried on his fight with the result that very few Postmasters have resigned or been dismissed and there is a greater sense of security in the Postal Service today than has ever been known before.

If the Hon. Mr. Elliott can stick with his guns and withstand the pressure there is no doubt that he will have done a great act and his name will ever be remembered in the Postal Service as the man who killed patronage. The Postal Service is, without doubt, the greatest business in Canada, entering intimately into the lives of every citizen and the disrupting effect of this great business machine can readily be understood when over eight hundred Postmasters lost their positions after each change of Government and were replaced by inexperienced men.

Mrs. J. C. Turple and sons Glen and Rex who visited with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Neff, Hanna over the holiday, returned Tuesday.

Corn Flakes	3 pkges	.25c
Pineapple	3 tins	.37c
Sardines Brunswick	5 tins	.25c
Pure Strawberry Jam	4 lb tin	.57c
R C Lye	2 tins	.25c
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Oranges	3 doz	.63c
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Onion Sets McKenzies	2 lbs	.25c

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## CollHolme Newslets

Spring is here or so they say. The winter however, has doubts regarding spring, although, passing no meteorological knowledge and with due respect to the saying that "He who prophesies Alberta weather is either a newcomer or a fool," we are of the opinion that before farming operations commence there will be yet some snappy mornings.

However, be it as it will, the weather at present is very gratifying after a permanent winter of approximately five and a half months. "Oh; well it will all be history in a few weeks maybe."

The Hobson family having moved the remainder of their effects from the farm, left last Thursday afternoon via C. N. R., for their new home at Tees

John Allen had hard luck last week while making a round trip to and from Chinook. He upset a load of wheat on the way in and to even matters he upset a load of oats on the way home. Owing to the condition of the roads it would appear fair this factor alone was responsible for the ill luck.

Mr. J. D. Mackinnon received the sad news last Friday upon the death of his mother, Mrs. Sarah MacKinnon, of Medford, Mass., Deceased was 87 years of age. She was a widow, and mother of nine children six sons and three daughters. She is survived by six of her family, Mrs. R. Davis, Medford, Mrs. R. MacPherson, New Westminster, B.C. The sons are, Mr. Angus MacKinnon of Cape North N.S., John D. of Chinook; Norman and Dan of Seattle, Wash.

Carl Lee who had his ankle injured some weeks ago by a kick from a horse was recuperating nicely, but has suffered a severe lapse upon inheriting a bad attack of Monday Morning Fever.

Mr. Quick former Editor of the Youngstown Plaindealer took over Tuesday of last week, the office of the Weekly Review in Saskatchewan having purchased the Review from the former owner, Mr. McCulough.

Mr. Elmer Spreeman left last week for a holiday in Calgary. Probably Elmer has some major attraction there to occupy his holiday and we might suggest, that it might be a so called "Item."

Messrs Harry and George Trogan left last week for Oregon, Wash., U. S. to attend the funeral of their mother

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The Ladies' Card Club met Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Lee. Honors were shared by Mrs. Chapman and Mrs. Cooley. Mrs. Suiter will be hostess to the club next week.

Mr. Chas Bennett who was formerly an employee of Messrs Cooley in Chinook Garage has moved to Olds where he is an agent for a Machine Company

Mr. and Mrs. L. Cooley and little son Lorne, returned Friday morning after a three weeks visit in Calgary and Carstairs.

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Research work now being carried on in the laboratories of the world devoted to industrial progress and advancement of scientific knowledge is unlocking vast reservoirs of hitherto hidden facts and data to such an extent that their practical application to man's needs and welfare is bound to profoundly change habits and modes of life and work in the future.

Old and well accepted theories in the realms of astronomy, chemistry, physics, medical science, biology and other fields of science are being shattered almost daily as a result of the work which is being carried on by silent, be-spectacled men and women in these research workshops and so rapidly are new discoveries being made and converted to the use of mankind that those who predict that the present century will go down in history as an era of scientific achievement are speaking with undisputed authority.

In fact, the achievements of the first third of the present century are sufficient in themselves to substantiate the claim for such an assertion even if, for some unknown and unpredictable reason, the work in this field were to be brought to an abrupt halt now.

One does not have to search far to find reasons for this remarkable advance into the sphere of the hitherto unknown and to explain why so much that has remained hidden for centuries is now being revealed in so great abundance.

One of the reasons is the large sums of money which have been made available for the prosecution of such work by wealthy philanthropists. Another is the discovery by commercial organizations that it pays them to devote a percentage of their earnings to the conduct of research work to assist them in unearthing ways and means of improving their products and of reducing the costs of production to enable them to achieve a paramount place in their field or to achieve it. Another is the now well known fact that almost every new discovery, or the search for it, opens the door for another one and often enough paves the way for several more. Thus, the work is not only progressive but cumulative and in more than mathematical ratio, something like rolling up a snowball.

Still another reason is the fact that so frequently, a discovery in one field of endeavor results in the perfection of new equipment which makes it possible to delve deeper into the mysteries of some other scientific realm or some other school of activity.

And these do not exhaust the reasons. There are others referred to recently by Mrs. O. Lazarus. Writing in a recent issue of the Christian Science Monitor an article dealing with developments in the arena of natural science this author said:

"Natural science arose partly out of man's desire to conquer nature and partly from his insatiable curiosity. From the earliest times man has never been content to live by bread alone. It had that within it which impelled it to seek out the mysteries of the world around. It is this curiosity which has forced men to make instruments which have enabled him to sweep the recesses of the starry heavens; to delve among the rocks in order to read from them the history of the earth and those who have lived on it in ages past. In his eagerness he has even penetrated into the heart of matter and seen it dissolve into radiation."

The same writer sheds an interesting sidelight on the effect such work has on the minds of those who make new discoveries, when she says: "Every time he (the research worker) has forced open the locked doors in the Palace of Knowledge, he has become humbler, less certain of his at-one-time unshakable faith in the 'reality' of those things which his hands could touch and his eyes see."

It is unfortunate that in Canada sufficient recompense is not always given to the men and women who are devoting a lifetime to unlocking the mysteries of science for the benefit of the country and her people; at least, that is too often the case with those who are prosecuting their work under government aegis. As a result, more adequate remuneration sometimes proves too tempting and they are lured away south of the international boundary to the great loss of this country.

When the benefits which accrue to the country as a result of the development of a rust resistant wheat—to quote an illustration—are weighed in the balance against the remuneration these trained experts receive it is not surprising if better offers from elsewhere for their services are sometimes accepted.

### Talked Through His Hat

New York Man Had Radio-Equipped Silk Topper

An announcer wearing an "electric Easter bonnet", in the form of a radio-equipped silk hat, promenade with the Easter Sunday strollers in New York, describing the fashions and eavesdropping on conversations unknown to those on the sidewalks. The stunt provided a test of a new portable microwave "station." The range of the silk-hat broadcaster is about a quarter of a mile.

The human hair grows at an average rate of five inches a year in a temperate climate.

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### Enjoys Life At Goldfields

Well-Worked Trying Says Wife Of Resident Doctor

Completing her first season on one of the north's new mining camps, Mrs. E. N. Dunn, a bride of one year, says there is nothing like joy-riding in a dog sleigh.

The young woman, wife of Dr. E. N. Dunn, resident doctor at Goldfields, Sask., accompanied her husband to the Lake Athabasca mining field last fall.

During a brief stopover at Edmonton after a long aeroplane flight from the northern mining town, she said, "I enjoy the life very much. It's all very novel, and it's well worth trying."

Goldfields has a pleasant social life, she added. About 30 women and 300 men comprise the camp. Bridge, dancing and dog sleigh riding are in great favor. In addition she often travels with her husband.

### Returns Show Increase

Returns for the 1935 Christmas seal campaign to raise funds to fight tuberculosis were encouraging and final receipts were expected to show a 10 per cent. increase over 1934, the Canadian Tuberculosis Association announced. The association will hold its annual meeting at Vancouver, June 22, 23, 24.

Soviet workers are boring an oil well on the sea bottom in the vicinity of Baku.

### Going In For Ice Cream

London Is Preparing For Big Sale This Summer

Warm weather ice cream fashions are being demonstrated at the Ice Cream and Dairy exhibition at the Crystal Palace, the London News-Chronicle remarks:

"This summer, it seems, we shall consume at least 50,000,000 gallons of ice cream, so that the rehearsal now in progress is thoroughly justified."

"It will be bought from penny-in-the-slot machines, in special paper bags, in tubes of chocolate and in new waffle wafers, which make it look as if you get more for your penny than you actually do."

"And it will be better ice cream. The milk marketing board has arranged for ice cream manufacturers to buy milk at bulk wholesale prices. Milk powder from abroad has been widely used so far."

"The immense engineering industry that has grown in recent years to meet the needs of the big milk distributive combines should give those now engaged in the milk prices inquiry some idea of where the money goes."

### Richly Clad Mummy Found

Is Believed To Be Daughter Of Great Pharaoh Cheops

The sumptuously-clad mummy of a princess of the Fourth Dynasty (3733-3566 B.C.), believed to be the daughter of the great Pharaoh Cheops, who built the second pyramid, has been discovered by Egyptian archaeologists.

The mummy lay in a limestone sarcophagus, in an undisturbed tomb whose location was not revealed in the announcement of the find. Dressed in bridal raiment, the princess wore a golden diadem, two necklaces of golden beads, anklets and sandals.

A gold-plated copper belt circled her waist and the fingers of her left hand were encased in gold as well, it was said.

Prof. Selim Hassan of Cairo University, directed the excavations which resulted in the discovery. He said the tomb apparently had never been pillaged by marauders, like most monuments of ancient Egypt.

### Welsh Discovered America

Landed 300 Years Before Columbus Made His Appearance

The legend of the white Indian, and the claim that America was discovered by a Welshman, were revived at Cardiff, Wales, recently during a Welsh book festival, when books relating to the part played by Wales in world history were exhibited.

Legend has it that the American continent was discovered by Prince Madoc in the twelfth century, 300 years before Columbus. Madoc set sail from North Wales across the Atlantic with a fleet of 13 ships and never returned.

It is declared that he landed near the mouth of the Mississippi and worked his way inland. His men made friends with the Indians, and ultimately formed themselves into a tribe of white Indians.

### Broadcast In Eskimo

Bishop Of The Arctic Talked To Charges In The North

A bishop's voice rang through the air for thousands of miles on a recent Saturday to carry a greeting in Eskimo to slant-eyed friends who sat before radio sets from the sub-Arctic fringe to Oache Peninsula.

Rt. Rev. A. L. Fleming, Bishop of the Arctic, whose Diocese extends across the great expanse of winter's twilight land, spoke in English and Eskimo to his friends and charges in the north, broadcasting from Ottawa on the Canadian Radio Commission's Northern Mission program.

### Likes Exploring Job

Ellsworth Hopes To Do More Of It In Antarctic

Lincoln Ellsworth, who recently completed an air journey across the Antarctic continent, said he would like to explore the Australian desert by camel. He had no definite plans, however, for the venture.

Ellsworth said in an interview there was a 100-year job of exploring still to be done in the Antarctic and he expected to do some of it.

The explorer landed in Los Angeles in March after an absence of almost a year.

John D. Rockefeller says that the first money he ever earned was made by raising turkeys when he was seven years old. His mother gave him curds from the milk to feed them.

## Do You Ever Wonder

Whether the "Pain" Remedy You Use is SAFE?

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### New Electric Trains

One Of Longest Electric Tracks Will Be Completed Next Summer

Rapid progress with the electrification of the Southern Railway's main line to Portsmouth harbor makes it likely that the whole scheme, costing nearly \$15,000,000, will be completed by July, 1937.

Some 95 route miles, corresponding to 242 single track miles, are to be converted, and when finished the 74 miles from London to Portsmouth will be one of the longest electric tracks in Britain.

The present longest stretch is the London to Eastbourne, Hastings and Ore section opened last July.

Forty-eight new four-coach motor units, 19 of which will be provided with kitchen-cars, are among the new rolling stock being constructed.

### Tourists Will See Things

Parry Sound, Ontario, To Have Totem Pole Traffic Light

The eyes of a moose, alternately blinking red and green from atop a mighty totem pole, will help direct tourist traffic through Parry Sound, Ontario, this year. Plans for the totem pole traffic light were explained to the Ontario Good Roads convention by J. M. Daly, Indian agent from Parry Sound.

The pole will be a vast affair, facing the highway, and the images carved on it, from top to bottom, will include the moose, a bear, a deer, two geese, duck, an early Canadian voyageur in a canoe, a tepee, a school house, and a church. The eyes of the moose, co-ordinating with traffic signals, will be the only animated portion.

There are approximately a half million different sorts of living creatures on the earth. About three-fourths of this number are insects.

European red ants attack other species of ants and carry off the workers as slaves.

### Trying Old Experiment

New Jersey Doctor To Use Surgical Grafting Principle

Sixteen-year-old John Seely's hope for artificial restoration of the arms he lost last November under the wheels of a train at Nutley, New Jersey, rested to-day on application of a 65-year-old surgical grafting principle.

A Newark orthopedic surgeon, starting with an operation at Beth Israel Hospital, expects to apply the discovery of an Italian physician, Vanghetti, about 1870, using muscle grafts to connect artificial limbs.

The surgeon, who has asked his name be withheld, has been engaged by the crippled children's committee of the Nutley Elks Lodge. As he described the operation, a flap of the patient's skin is drawn into a tube and inserted under the muscle. This operation will be performed twice on each of the stumps of Seely's arms. When the tissues have healed, he said, cineplastic arms would be attached to the flaps. The artificial arms are being then would be operated with the flexing of the muscles.

### New Device Invented

Artificial Ear Gives Effect Of Sound On Human System

An artificial ear, for the exact measurement of sound, and its effect on the human system, has been invented by an electrical firm at Prague. It is to be used by the Czechoslovak Ministry of Health in its investigations into the noise problem. Previous sound-measuring devices are stated either to have been too subjective, which has led to inaccurate results being obtained and difficulty in calculation, or they have not measured the true effect of various sounds on the delicate mechanism of the human ear. The new device, it is claimed, represents exactly, in an easily measurable form, the way in which sound affects the ear of a living person.

### Ships Without Funnels

Prediction Made That Smoke Will Be Discharged Into Sea

Funnelless ocean liners in the near future was a prediction made by John Johnson, chief engineer of the Canadian Pacific Steamships, Ltd., addressing the Institution of Mechanical Engineers at London, England, recently.

Speaking on the future of steam propulsion, Mr. Johnson said that smoke and gases from the furnaces would be used until they were almost cold, the heat extracted from them being put to work.

The gases would then be washed with sea water, and, when clean, they would be discharged into the sea just above the water level.

### His Only Worry

The doctors had great difficulty in getting a negro soldier, who had been badly wounded by shell-fire, to take an anaesthetic. He seemed worried about something, and urged them to get to work without an anaesthetic, as he wanted to watch them.

At last they got him to take the chloroform, and all went well until the operation was over.

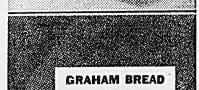
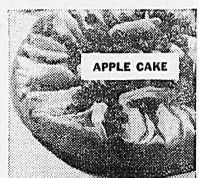
The stitching was just being begun when he jerked himself back to consciousness and said: "Doctor, don't make a mistake. Don't stitch me with white thread."

### Animal Day In China

In observance of Animal Day in China recently not an animal was killed in the country for 24 hours. All slaughter houses remained open but not one head of live stock was taken in and cities refused to do away with strays in pounds. The Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals gave open-air dramatic and oratorical messages on kindness to dumb beasts.

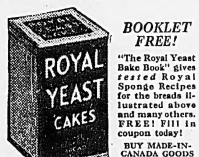


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## FLEMING'S FOLLY

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### SYNOPSIS

The story opens with Link Fleming addressing a meeting of Boone County cattlemen, called together with the object of forming an irrigation company.

The meeting terminates but Buzz Hamilton and his sister, Helen, Link and Kilgo stay behind and Helen asks Fleming questions about his irrigation plan. This angers Buzz, who accuses Fleming of trying to influence his sister and, as he asserts, ruin his "spread". Buzz shoots at Fleming in an uncontrollable fit of anger, but Buster Townsend, Link's foreman, is shot in the stomach, and Fleming is unharmed. Buzz is arrested and sentenced to three years' imprisonment.

Helen and Fleming form a partnership to provide irrigation for their own properties.

Fleming goes home and studies the plans drawn by Thomson to learn whether they could be adapted to a smaller scheme suitable for his and Helen's land, and is satisfied it could be done. Feeling cold, he lights the fire and there is an explosion that wrecks the house, burns it and the plans and renders Link unconscious. He is rescued from the blaze by an employee.

Helen and Link ride to Rawhide for supplies and to obtain funds to carry out the dam project. They meet Roper, who greets Helen and offers to shop with her. Link goes to see the Sheriff, who tells him Buzz Hamilton has been paroled, and would arrive on the incoming stage, but that he thinks Link has made a mistake in getting Buzz released.

Buzz Hamilton arrives back in Rawhide while Fleming and Helen are in the bank getting a loan for payment of wages for work on the dam. Roper Kilgo and Jacob McMeer meet him and he goes into the saloon with them. By the time his sister and Link come from the bank, Buzz has had several drinks. Roper has distorted the facts concerning the dam proposal to Buzz, making it appear that Link was trying to ruin him. Buzz, inflamed with liquor and anger, tries to throttle Fleming, but is thrown to the floor. Then Helen appears and tells Fleming she has been robbed of the \$800 they had obtained from the bank.

(Now Go On With The Story)

### CHAPTER XI—Continued

"Link," she added on sudden impulse, "do you think this dam is going to bankrupt us?"

Something in her worried tone made Fleming eager to go to any extreme to safeguard Helen and her property. "We'll come through," he said with confidence he did not quite feel. "We still have our steers to sell, and once we get cash for 'em

we'll be fixed a lot better. I'll get Marty Bush to make our beef go out when shipping opens day after tomorrow. And pay us cash. So, Helen, you better cut out what you're selling and get things all lined up."

He turned a little away. "I'm sorry about Buzz. I planned to give you the surprise of your life, getting him paroled. Well, it was a surprise, but not quite like I expected. Buzz came on the stage while we were with Otto Pieper, and knowing he headed right for the Half Moon, I sent you on home. By the time I got inside he was stuffed with wrong talk against us. 'Instead of being on our side he's plumb sure the dam won't turn out."

"Beats me," he exclaimed, scowling, "how folks can think that. Gosh, if anybody examines it, they've got to admit it's work."

Of course it will work, Link," she listened a moment. "I hear Buzz, I think. Please let me know what goes on."

She was about to trip inside the ranch house when he stayed her. Kevin and Orless sat waiting on their horses—two hundred feet distant but they were conversing with faces turned away. "Folien," Fleming said hesitantly, "being as we're business partners, maybe I shouldn't say this. But business aside, I sort of—I hope you like me pretty well. Do you?"

She smiled. "Need you ask?"

"Then—then would you—?" He kicked self-consciously at a tuft of bunchgrass. For an instant he hesitated as if debating further speech; but then suddenly lost heart and turned to his horse.

"All right, boys," he called to Kevin and Orless. "We'll talk wages pronto with your pals. Let's get to the Star Loop."

The three mile ride consumed but a short time. Sure enough, as they neared the two-room temporary ranch house, and the corral, bunkhouse, and small buildings, he made out more than a dozen men lounging about, smoking and watching him expectantly.

He swung from his mount and was approached by a muscular individual in overalls. Buster Townsend's usually cheerful face, round and strewn with freckles, now wore a serious look. "They're hellin' for 'ya," he told Link in a low tone. "I tried to hold 'em in, but all but about ten went on strike an' said they were squatin' here till yuh hand over their dough."

"We want cash an' we want it quick!" rasped a growling workman who guessed Townsend's words.

"We're entitled to it, ain't we boys?" put in a burly, dark-browed fellow, addressing the crowd. This man Link knew for Gyp Vaile, ex-convict and local bully. A great mass of crinkly black hair escaped Vaile's misshapen sombrero, spewing out in the canting mode of a half-breed Indian. Gyp's squinting eyes were hard and shifty, and strapped over his overalls was a pair of wall-battered sixguns, although in his capacity of dam worker there was no need whatever to carry weapons.

Murmurs of assent greeted Vaile, and the growls of other men made a rumbling sound like thunder across

the far distant peaks of the mountain range. But Fleming, with a look of cheerful confidence, strode to the ranch house stoop, the men following sullenly at his heels. On this slight eminence he turned to address them.

"Orless and Kevin told me how you feel, and I don't blame you, boys. But don't think I'm not in good faith about this wages proposition. I went—"

"To hell with good faith!" broke in Gyp Vaile. "Give us hard cash!"

"Plainly he was foremost in stirring up discussion. Buster Townsend's fists doubled and he seemed about to challenge Gyp until with a slight shake of the head Link warned him. "What the heck're you talkin' about? You don't work on this dam any more. I fired you this mornin' for a lazy, good-for-nothin' loafer!"

The man's powerful chest heaved. "I'm owed wages!" he roared. "An' by gosh, I mean to get my rights!"

"You're owed a good slam in the nose," Buster retorted belligerently. "Yuh tried to bust a sluice gate on us, yuh hound! Lettin' it drop 20 feet. I've a good mind to—"

"Hold on, boys!" It was news that Vaile had been discharged, that he had attempted sabotage. But Fleming disregarded this point for the moment. "I started to say," he proceeded calmly, "that Miss Hamilton and I went to Rawhide this afternoon to get your payroll."

"But didn't get it, eh?" guessed a man named Ferguson.

"We got it, all right—eight hundred dollars. But I had to stay in town to meet Buzz Hamilton. You see, I got Buzz paroled to me from prison as a surprise for his sister. I gave her the money and she started here as fast as her horse could travel."

"Boys," he said soberly, "I'm shore sorry. Helen—Miss Hamilton—got held up. Some dirty skunk wearin' a bandana mask, stepped out of the trees at Iron Spring, and stopped her at the point of a gun. She put up a game fight but of course he was stronger. He grabbed your eight hundred and got away!"

"Heid up?"

"She got robbed?"

"Then our money's gone!"

"These and similar exclamations broke from the crowd of irrigation dam workers. Instantly Link perceived that by phrasing it as their eight hundred dollars, he had scored a point."

"Yes, she got robbed and pretty much bruised up, fightin' for your rights. Sheriff Stephen is trailin' the cuss right now, and there's a darned good chance of nabbin' him quick. He'll sure get the limit for holdin' up a woman an' taking money earned by the sweat of your brow."

An inspiration prompted him to stride down to Sam Walters. "Sam, I'll pay every cent I owe you if you give me time. Nobody ever said Link Fleming went back on his word. On account of that robbery I'm askin' you to trust me awhile longer."

Plainly taken back by this daring candor, Sam gnawed reflectively at a mustache end. "Yuh liable to go busted?"

"Whoever spread that story lied."

The workman hesitated, conscious of all eyes on him. Then he saw Fleming's hand outstretched, and he grasped it. "Pay me up, Link, son's ya can. I'll wait."

His pulse speeded in triumph. Without turning from the spot, he addressed Chunky Hokanson. "Are you willing to trust me after a piece of hard luck I couldn't help?"

The other's eyes wavered. "Shore, Link," and he turned away.

But Gyp Vaile with Ferguson at his side interceded before Fleming could speak to the next man. "Yuh can pull that on those guys," Gyp sneered roughly, "but yuh can't soft soap me. I want my money an' I want it now!"

Townsend shouldered his way close, fearing trouble. "Buster," he demanded the Star Loop owner in civility, "are you sure about this money tryin' to wreck that sluice gate?"

"Plumb shore!" came the prompt answer. "Yuh dirty low-down Gila!"

## ARE YOU Miserable?



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### Wanted To Play Safe

Man Withdrew Charge Against Son

OF HIS BARBER

Herman Gerosky, a New York factory owner, does not believe in taking risks. After he had had Joseph Sansone arrested on a charge of theft from the factory he decided, when the case came into court, not to proceed with the charge. The magistrate asked him to explain. "Well," said Mr. Gerosky, "Joseph's father is my barber. Twice a week, I sit in his chair and my throat is at his mercy. Nevertheless the magistrate decided to hold Joseph on a charge of theft."

## WAKE UP YOUR LIVER BILE—

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The liver should pour out two quarts of bile into your bowels daily. If this bile isn't flowing freely, your food doesn't digest. It just decays in the bowels. Gas builds up your stomach. You get constipated. Bile poisons go into the body and you feel sore, sick and the world looks pink.

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### Canada's Sea Tonnage

Is Now Only One Third Of Fifty Years Ago

Canada's tonnage in seagoing vessels was only one-third of what it was 50 years ago, Fred Bridges, port warden at Sorel, Que., told the Ottawa branch of the Engineering Institute of Canada. Total tonnage of seagoing and inland waterway vessels dropped from three per cent of the world total in 1886 to 1½ per cent. In 1935, in comparison, Japan's tonnage has increased from one-half per cent. 50 years ago to six per cent. Change from sail to steam, he believed, was the cause of tonnage decline in Canada.

### Gold in New Guinea

Will Provide Mining For At Least Twenty Years

New Guinea has sufficient gold to provide mining for 20 years, according to Sir George Pearce, Australian Minister in Charge of Territories, in a report to the Commonwealth Prime Minister on his return to Canberra after a visit to Papua and New Guinea. "The fields will be one of our principal producing centres for many years," he said.

### Shows Improvement

Considerable improvement has been effected in Canada in the preparation of fleece wool since 1913 when public attention was first directed to the means of quality improvement and the manner of preparation for market. At present all commercial wool in Canada is sold in the grease, and the fleeces rolled and tied intact as they are shorn.

### Little Helps For This Week

Call unto me and I will answer thee, and show thee great and mighty things which thou knowest not. Jer. 33:33.

No voice of prayer to Thee can rise, And swift as light Thy love replies; Not always what we ask, indeed, But O most Kind, just what we need.

If you have any trial that seems intolerable, pray that it may be relieved or changed. There is no harm in that. We may pray for anything not wrong in itself with perfect freedom, if we do not pray selfishly. One disabled from duty by sickness may pray for health that he may do his work, or if we have a besetting sin we may pray to be delivered from it in order to serve God and man, and not be the one to mislead and annoy. But the answer to the prayer may be, as it was to Paul, not the removal of the thorn but a growing insight into its meaning and value. The voice of God in our soul may show us, as we look up to Him, that his strength is enough to enable us to bear it.

### Getting Something Done

Manitoba's Back-To-Land Movement Has Proved Success

While in other parts of the Dominion there has been a great deal of theorizing about placing unemployed on the land, the Manitoba Government has been dealing with the question in a practical way—getting something done. A report recently presented to the Western Province Legislature indicated that 772 families have been placed on the land, and that of these only 137 have failed to get along and abandoned their holdings. Expenditure on this plan to date has been \$481,776 and of this the Dominion Government contributed \$125,000, or about 25 per cent. It is explained that because these people been supported by direct relief the cost would have been something like \$200,000 more than the total amount expended in placing them on the land including cost of equipment.—Toronto Globe.

### Outlook Is Better

The outlook for Saskatchewan farmers for the year 1935 is one of optimism. Good horses are scarce and prices are likely to be high for several years. In the sheep industry prices of lambs and wool promise to be satisfactory. In the market for poultry products the outlook is indefinite but little change is anticipated.

"Prisoner, you are found 'not guilty' and are discharged." "But I've been kept in custody for a fortnight. Does that entitle me to commit a small crime free of charge?"

## "Boy! I can breathe now!"

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A grasshopper of Guiana has large glaring eye-spots that scare off enemy birds. 2146

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### The Friendly Circle Held Meeting

The Friendly Circle held its April meeting Saturday, April 11th, in the parlor of the Hotel. The meeting was opened by the singing of "O Canada" with Miss Marjorie Lee playing the accompaniment. Mrs. Eaglesham read the Friendly Circle verses.

Tickets were distributed to the members for the sale of the quilt of the Friendly Circle. Mrs. Youell, Mrs. Suiter and Mrs. Lee were chosen as a committee to take charge of selling the tickets.

As there were a number of books not required for the first quilt it was decided to make a second one. Mrs. L. R. bins donated material for the back of it. Mrs. Stewart will be the hostess for the May meeting.

An interesting program was given by the Butts twins, Marcel and Marcelline singing two songs, with Miss Gay Massey playing the accompaniment.

After the business meeting a tea was held, sponsored by the Friendly Circle. The tea was very successful, over \$10 being realized after all expenses were paid. The piano selections by Leonard Youell and the songs by Lorne Ride out, were a pleasing feature during the tea, hours as were also the tea cup reading by Mrs. Eaglesham. The hostesses were: Mesdames Pfeiffer Bayley, Mortimer, Petersen and Eaglesham.

### NOTABLE ACHIEVEMENT BY BARLEY COMMITTEE

One of the most important results accomplished by the National Barley Committee, of the National Advisory Committee on Agricultural Services, which held its annual meeting in Toronto from March 11 to 13 inclusive has been the co-ordination of the work of all those interested and engaged in the breeding, feeding and marketing of Canadian barley. A notable example of this is that the plant breeders and related workers are now closely co-operating in the testing of a uniform set of varieties. These tests are being made throughout the Prairie Provinces and in Eastern Canada.

The Committee issued a statement that reviewed the present situation in connection with Canadian barley. This statement disclosed that eighty-five per cent of the Canadian barley crop does not enter commercial trade channels, but is used by the farmers for feed and seed, and the remaining 15 per cent enters commerce. Approximately three-fifths of the commercial volume of barley is sold for feed uses and about two-fifths or roughly 6 or 7 million bushels is used in the domestic and export trade for malting purposes. Malting barley is selected from the total Canadian crop and represents the highest quality of the total volume which finds its way into commerce. Among the varieties of barley which are popular for feed uses are several new smooth-headed varieties, which are high in yield, strong-stemmed, easy to handle and favourable for feeding. It has been found after tests that they are suitable for production in certain districts of the Prairie Provinces and in some parts of the other provinces. It is recognized, the statement of the Committee pointed out, that the disposal of barley is closely associated with livestock production and producers should therefore be encouraged to continue in their efforts to bring about low cost of production so that feeders of livestock will be encouraged to use even greater quantities of barley because it yields a greater feeding value per acre than any other grain.

The new varieties of barley have characteristics which make them undesirable to makers for malting purposes and under existing regulations these varieties cannot be placed in the malting grades. O.A.C. 21 is still the standard of malting barley for Canada and the malting grades are restricted to this and other Manchurian types of similar quality. At present extensive breeding and other improvement work in connection with feed and malting barley is being conducted at various institutions in Canada with the objectives of higher yield, stronger straw and neck strength and high quality suitable for the various parts of the

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Todd returned from Calgary with Mr. and Mrs. Cooley having visited for three weeks with their daughter, Mrs. A. S. Rowland, at Aldersyde, on returning Mr. Cooley had to leave his car at Drumheller and the party made the rest of the trip by train.

Mrs. A. Rosenau and daughter, Miss Helena, with three sons Walter, Harold and Geo. returned from Craigville last week after having attended the Annual Lutheran Church Convention held at that place.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Anderson and daughter, Evelyn, who spent the winter months with Mrs. Anderson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hess, of San Diego, Calif., U. S., returned to their home here Tuesday. They report having had a wonderful visit and good trip.

Mr. Eaglesham is a Coronation visitor this week.

The improvement of Guernsey cattle is being studied at the Dominion Experimental Farm at Nappan, Nova Scotia. The objective is to develop a more fixed type with higher production, without sacrificing quality.

Dominion. It will, however, be several years before these new varieties are available. The executive of the National Barley Committee are Prof. T. J. Harrison of Winnipeg, a member of the Board of Grain Commissioners, L. H. Newman, Dominion Cereals, Dominion Department of Agriculture, and O. S. Longman, Field Crops Commissioner, Alberta Department of Agriculture.

### WHY GRADED BEEF GROWS IN POPULARITY

Apart from high quality and value for money, one of the reasons why graded beef is now selling in Canada at the rate of well over 3,000,000 pounds a month is the convenience of purchase afforded to the housewife. It is no longer necessary to pay a personal visit to the store for the purpose of selecting beef. It is necessary only to telephone for the desired cut of blue brand or red brand beef as desired. The portion of the Government brand-mark which appears in ribbon-like form upon each cut when it is delivered is the purchaser's safeguard and protection. The coloured materials used in branding are not injurious and consequently from a health point of view need not be removed before cooking.

Only beef which has passed inspection for health officers of the Dominion Department of Agriculture may be graded. The round, purple health inspection stamp which bears the words "Canada Approved" shows that beef has been pronounced free from disease. However, that is not the only mark the purchaser has to look for in graded beef, because all beef which has been pronounced free from disease does not necessarily have good eating quality, for example it might be tough, to mention only one point. The mark that designates the quality of the beef is different. It is the form of a ribbon running along the whole length of the beef, Red denoting the highest quality, and Blue the second quality. In this way, every cut of graded beef must exhibit a part of this ribbon mark.

The two official grades—Blue Brand or "Good Grade and Red Brand or "Choice Grade—are carefully selected by qualified Government officials as to quality, tenderness, flavour, juiciness and food value from beef marked "Canada Approved." This ensures that only beef which is of the prescribed standard to quality will be graded. The Blue Brand (Good grade) carries the moderate amount of fat necessary to protect it in handling and cooking and to render it tender and juicy and with these who desire good eating quality without undue waste. The Red Brand (Choice grade) carries a little more fat, or finish, and appeals to those who desire the very highest of quality obtainable and to whom price is not the most important consideration. In any case the ribbon mark Red or Blue is the purchaser's guarantee of quality.

The principal canned fruit product exported from Canada to the British Isles consists of pears. In 1935, 230,000 cases of canned pears were exported to Britain, an increase of 15,000 cases on the 1934 exports.

### GRASSHOPPER MENACE MUCH LESS SERIOUS

Fresh present prospects based on information received by the Field Crops and Garden Insects Division, Entomological Branch, Department of Agriculture, grasshoppers will not be as serious a menace this year in Western Canada as they were in 1933, 1934 and 1935.

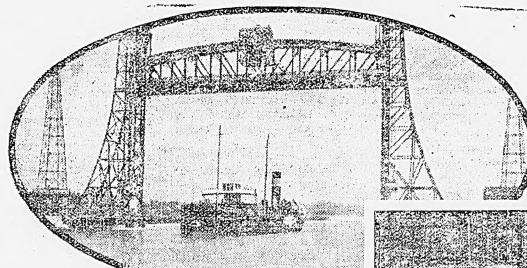
In Manitoba, the outbreak prospects are reported as likely to be generally light, due to the widespread destruction of the "hoppers" last year, consequently the provincial authorities do not consider it necessary to conduct an organized campaign in 1936, but they will, however, be ready to deal with local concentrations as required. The crop acreage in the province that is considered as being threatened with infestations is this year about 1,000,000 acres, compared with 3,500,000 acres in 1935. There are no areas very severely infested and only about 25,000 acres which may be subjected to severe outbreaks, which are in the Red River Valley and the extreme southwest corner of the province. In 1935, of the 3,500,000 crop acres infested, 1,900,000 acres were classified as severe and 1,600,000 acres as very severe.

In Saskatchewan an outbreak may be serious this year in certain localities, but far less than a year ago. The total area infested in 1936 is estimated at about 10,000,000 crop acres compared with about 10,000,000 acres in 1935. Similar reductions are expected in the areas threatened—from 5,700,000 acres to 900,000 acres. The acreage that may be classified as likely to be severely infested is down to 47,000 acres, as against 600,000 acres last year. Widespread light infestations are looked for, but the most severe outbreaks are expected in the northwest, west and south of Saskatoon and in certain central and southern areas.

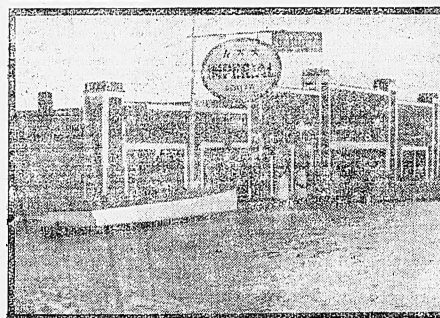
A reduction of very severe infestations is also reported from Alberta, although the threatened outbreak will closely approximate that of 1935, the decline being from five to four million crop acres. The decrease in the areas severely threatened is from 13,000,000 acres in 1935 to 4,500,000 acres in 1936, while the reduction in the very severe category is from 11,000,000 acres to 140,000 acres this year.

The threatened territory is a band of country about 70 miles wide running northward from the International Boundary, flanked on the west by foothills to beyond Calgary when it turns eastward to the Saskatchewan boundary.

Miss Amelia Belmont left by train Tuesday night for Calgary where she will visit for a time with friends.



A VENETIAN EFFECT . . . (below) Warm weather followed heavy snow and then this happened to an Imperial Oil dealer up near Slave Lake. Where motor cars used to stop, motor boats became the customers—but what matter? Imperial Oil products are favorites both on land and water.



SHIPLOAD OF POWER . . . (left) An Imperial Oil tankship in the Welland Canal. This is one of a fleet of ten lake vessels and fifteen ocean-going tankers that help in the big work of providing an unending supply of Imperial gasoline and oils for the Canadian market.



### CAREFUL, CAREFUL . . . (above)

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